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CHAPTER 296.

AN ACT to amend 176.12 of the statutes, relating to revocation of liquor licenses by local authorities.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

176.12 of the statutes is amended to read:

176.12 If such person shall not appear as required by the summons the complaint shall be taken as true; and if the board shall deem its allegation sufficient the license shall be revoked, and notice thereof shall be given to the person whose license is so revoked; but if such person shall appear and deny the complaint each party may produce witnesses and be heard by counsel. If upon such hearing the board shall find the complaint to be true the license shall be *suspended for not less than 10 days nor more than 90 days* or revoked, and if untrue the proceeding shall be dismissed without costs to the accused, and if the complaint be found by the board to be malicious and without probable cause the cost shall be paid by the complainant, and the board may require security therefor before issuing the summons as aforesaid. When a license is revoked it shall be so entered of record by the clerk, and no other license shall be granted to such person within 12 months of the date of its revocation nor shall any part of the money paid for any license so revoked be refunded.

Approved June 16, 1949.